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KEEPING THE SABBATH IN SUMMER.

The Washington Post recently had an editorial depicting the character of Sabbath observance in Madisonville, Ky. The Post's editorial follows:

"John A. Ashby, a farmer of near Madisonville, forgot it was Sabbath and hitched up his team and loaded his wagon with corn with the intention of coming to Madisonville. When about a quarter of a mile from home he met James Slaton, who asked him what he had in his sacks and where he was going. Mr. Ashby informed him and when told it was Sunday remarked: 'Do you mean it?' Upon being satisfied it was Sunday he turned his team homeward, and when crossing the field was seen by his son, Barnett Ashby, who in the meantime had hitched old 'Beck' to the plow and had gone to work. Later both father and son attended church to make amends for their thoughtlessness."

In this age of business activity we seem to lack time for the observance of the Sabbath day. Not only in the large cities is this day one of pleasure and recreation for those who find it necessary to work all the week, but this is also found in towns of smaller size, where the day is spent in amusements.

UNITED STATES AS WORLD LEADER.

Tables soon to be published by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce in its 1915 statistical abstract of the United States, will show this country leads the world in the production of many basic articles of commerce. Some foods are included. America stands first among the nations in its output of coal, iron and steel, copper, petroleum and silver. It leads, too, in these agricultural productions: Cotton, corn, wheat, oats, apples, hay and tobacco. In gold production the United States stands second, with South America first. The United States produces 40 per cent of the world's iron output; 60 per cent of petroleum; cotton, 50 per cent; silver, 25 per cent; corn, 60 per cent; oats, 30 per cent; and tobacco 80 per cent.

Time and again short items and correspondence letters reach this office unsigned. Newspaper men have learned from experience that communications without a name should not be published. The writer's name MUST appear on all contributions. To make sure that your letter will be published, SIGN YOUR NAME.

The two things that make the Democratic platform stand out among the great political documents of the country's history are its Americanism and its Democracy. It is a charter of national honor and individual freedom.

Red blooded Americans resent criticism of the President from those who dare not say what they would have done had they been in the President's place.

What has Wilson done that you would have undone? That is the question every voter must answer before he goes to the polls in November.

True friendship is like sound health, the value of it is seldom known until it is lost.

STEPHENSPORT.

J. T. Basham spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Basham.

Mrs. L. H. Bosley was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. I. Stephenson, Tuesday.

Miss Henrietta Ahl, of Evansville, was the guest of Miss Grace T. Wright Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hanks returned from Cloverport Saturday, after a visit to their daughter, Mrs. John Weisenberg.

K. B. Blane and family, of Lakeland, Fla., arrived Thursday to spend several weeks.

Mrs. Rayborn, of Owensboro, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Kemp last week.

Rev. L. E. Sills, of New York, arrived Monday to spend his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Nannie Sills.

James Kissam, of Somerset, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. E. J. Bandy.

Miss Ida Nottingham, of Lodiburg, was the guest of Mrs. W. J. Schopp Sunday.

Miss Lucile Hardin, of Holt, is the guest of Miss Marion Dix.

Misses Robbie Brodie and Georgia Frymire, of Chenault, were guests of Mrs. W. J. Schopp Tuesday.

Mrs. E. J. Bandy and niece, Lucile Kissam, went to Chenault Wednesday to visit Mrs. Tula Frymire.

Mrs. Eugene Conner was the week end guest of Mrs. Sue Wedding at Cannelton.

Miss Lelah Tucker, of Cloverport, is the guest of Miss Virginia Whitworth.

Janison Hawkins, of Louisville, came Sunday to spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Hawkins.

Mrs. A. M. Miller, of Cloverport, is the guest of relatives.

Miss Elizabeth English, of Ammons, will spend the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. A. B. Crawford.

Mrs. B. H. Parish, of Cloverport, is the guest of Mrs. O. W. Dowell.

Miss Mary Hall visited relatives at Mystic Saturday.

A. B. Cashman and family and Mrs. Davis attended the all day meeting at Union Star Sunday.

Miss Alene Driskell, of Louisville, is the guest of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Joe Brashear, of Hardin Grove, Ind., and daughter, Mrs. Whitmarsh and children, of Muncie, Ind., were the guests of Mrs. Wm. Gilbert Wednesday.

Mrs. Jarboe, of Mt. Carmel, Ill., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Almon Ramsey.

Miss Maud Smith returned from Valley Station Saturday, accompanied by Miss Blanche Agnes Martin, who will spend the summer.

Rev. Christy Gentry, pastor, and Rev. Crow, evangelist, closed a successful meeting at the Methodist church Friday night.

Mrs. A. J. Miller and daughter, Mrs. James Montgomery, of Louisville, spent Friday with Mrs. Wm. Gilbert.

McDANIELS.

Mrs. Lura Parson, of Leitchfield, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. John Pile and daughter, Miss Ada, of Mook, were the guests of relatives Thursday night and Friday.

Mrs. Bob Carville and children were the guests of their sister, Mrs. Mart Glasscock, Thursday and Friday.

Misses Nettie and Katie Aldridge were the guests of their brother, C. M. Aldridge, and family Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Andy Dudgeon had as supper guests last Thursday night the following: Mrs. Lura Parson, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Tucker, Mrs. John Pile and daughter, Miss Ada, and Mrs. Bettie Hayes.

Mrs. Mart Glasscock and daughter, Jessie Alice, were guests of her sister, Mrs. Carville, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mattingly were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Herman

Kiper, and Mr. Kiper last Sunday and attended children's night at Calvert.

Mrs. Bettie Hayes was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Tucker, last week.

Mrs. Shellie McCoy and Mrs. Reynolds, of McCoy, were in town shopping Friday.

Denver Robinson visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, at Harned Monday and Tuesday.

Milner, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Aldridge, who was seriously ill as the result of being bitten by a rat, is improving. He is thought to be out of danger now.

Mrs. John Pile Miss Ada Pile, Mrs. Lura Parson, Mrs. Bettie Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Tucker and Mrs. Will Cannon were guests of Mrs. Mamie Compton Friday.

Miss Neva Milner, who has been visiting relatives here and at McCoy, has returned to her home near Harned.

J. P. Milner, Jr., of Madrid, was here Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hart are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Tucker, of McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Aldridge and I. L. Milner, of Mook, and P. D. Milner, of Harned, were here last week.

HARNED.

Mrs. Rosa Hilton spent Sunday night with Mrs. S. M. Crume.

Mrs. V. G. Goodman and sons, Owen and Stoy, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. I. Goodman, of Westview.

Miss Ora Leigh Black was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Wilbur Pile.

Mrs. Amanda Tucker, who has been spending a few weeks here the guest of relatives, went to McDaniels Sunday afternoon to be the guest of her son and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Tucker.

Several from here attended the children's night at Westview Sunday. All report a good program.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Moorman entertained Sunday afternoon Mrs. Moorman, Mr. and Mrs. Plez Payne and children and Mr. and Mrs. Vic Pile.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. Willis Payne is no better at this writing.

Quite a number of young folks spent an enjoyable Sunday afternoon with Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Matthews listening to their new piano player.

Mrs. Phoebe Drane is some better at this writing.

Miss Neva Milner, who has been visiting at McDaniels, McCoy and Madrid, returned home last Sunday.

Miss Mamie Elliott attended the home coming at Kirk Sunday.

C. M. Aldridge was here from McDaniels Sunday and reported his little son, Milner, much better.

Miss Lillian May spent Sunday night with Miss Nora McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smiley were the guests of their sister, Mrs. Geo. Drane, a few days last week.

Mrs. Missouri Bruington was the guest of her son, Rev. C. L. Bruington, Sunday.

LODIBURG.

A. M. Hardin and Dr. J. M. Hardin, of Brandenburg, were called to Kansas City last week to be at the bedside of their brother, S. E. Hardin, who is very low. We are glad to report he is some better.

Mrs. Robert Cart, of Clinton, Mo., is here visiting her brother, June Bandy and Mrs. Bandy.

Mrs. Chas. Payne and daughter, Eva, and son, Marvin, attended church at Union Star last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Claycomb, of Webster, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Payne last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Cart, of California, are here visiting relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Skillman, of Mystic, visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar French last Sunday.

If you want to see a well-kept lawn and beautiful flowers call on Mrs. B. F. Hardin, Lodiburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Claycomb, of Webster, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Payne last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Argabright visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Felner, of Mystic, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tindall, of Evansville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Macy last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jolly, of Sample, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wiedman, of Irvington, Sunday.

Mrs. Brown, of Evansville, visited her niece, Mrs. Chas. Macy,

CATTLE RECEIPTS

From Louisville Stock Pens.
One Steer Sells at \$10.25,
Record High Price. Hogs
Active and Higher.

A new high record price for steers was recorded at the Louisville live stock pens Monday when one steer, weighing 1,210 pounds, crossed the scales at \$10.25 per hundred; the market as a whole was a weak affair.

Trading was low, due to too many half fat grassy kinds and other medium and common stuff. Prices were fully 25 to 50c lower.

Choice cornfed hogs, 200 pounds and up, \$9.70; 120 to 200 pounds, \$9.50; pigs, \$8.10 and \$8.85; roughs, \$8.70 down.

Choice spring lambs, \$11 and \$11.10; seconds, \$8 and \$8.75; culls, \$6 and \$8; best fat sheep, \$8.25 and \$6.75; bucks, \$5 down.

The calf market ruled steady, best veals bringing 9 and 9½c; medium and common slow.

Sunday.

Chas. Payne attended the meeting of the Postmasters Association at Louisville last week.

SENATOR JAMES' SPEECH

The Convention Chairman's Eulogy of President Wilson.

Chicago, June 16.—Senator Ollie M. James in his address as permanent chairman of the Democratic national convention praised the present administration for its "matchless record of promises kept" and for freeing the senate from the control of the great interests by making it elective by the people at the polls and for driving invisible government, the lobby, out of Washington.

Referring to the tariff question, Mr. James said the present law was an achievement to be proud of, declared that "not a schedule in it fosters a monopoly; not a rate in it protects a trust," and said that new trade conditions after the war would be met by appropriate legislation. Then he touched on the federal reserve law and declared that it abolished panics and that it had saved this country from a financial upheaval when the present war broke out.

Referring to the Mexican situation, Mr. James said President Wilson has handled it ably and that "his policy has been the same as that of Abraham Lincoln under like conditions more than half a century ago. When the Republican platform at Chicago denounced the Mexican policy of Woodrow Wilson it denounced at the same time the similar Mexican policy of Abraham Lincoln—the one they have heretofore called the 'patron saint' of the Republican party."

Mr. James, discussing Americanism, said that of those who came here as well as those who were born here, "all we ask is that the song you shall hold dearest to your heart is the 'Star Spangled Banner.'"

Mr. James defended the preparedness policy of the administration and delivered a powerful and glowing eulogy of President Wilson's achievements in the cause of peace. He said:

Some of the president's opponents tell us that the president's foreign policy has been evil and vacillating. Tonight 30,000,000 American fathers will gather around an unbroken family fireside with their wives at their sides and their children around their knees and contrast that with the old world, the world of broken firesides and gloom and mourning upon every hand. If that is evil and vacillating, may God prosper it and teach it to the rulers of the old world.

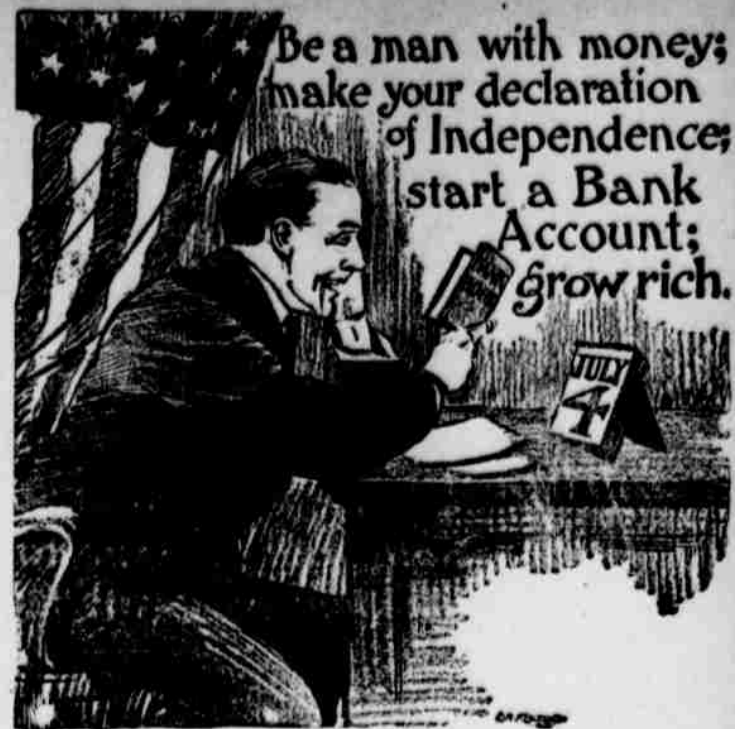
Without orphaning a single American child, without widowing a single American mother, without firing a single gun or shedding a drop of blood, he wrung from the most militant spirit that ever brooded above a battlefield the concession of American demands and American rights.

He has struggled for peace. His fondest hope, his most fervent prayer is for the peace, not only of his own beloved country, but of all the world. When the last great day shall come, and before the court of God the nations of this earth shall march in judgment review, who is it that would have our president exchange places with the blood bespattered monarchs of the old world? I can see him with the white light streaming upon his head and hear the Master say, "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God."

In the bloodiest crucible of all history he has kept the stainless banner of the republic flying above 100,000,000 of people in peace and in honor.

He elevates himself to that lofty but lonely eminence occupied by George Washington, Abraham Lincoln and Woodrow Wilson, the three most abused but best beloved Americans the republic ever knew.

America cannot afford to change leadership during this great cataclysm that shakes the nations of the earth, for to Woodrow Wilson more than any other citizen in all the world the Christian people, wherever the rain falls or the sun shines this world around, look anxiously, hopefully and prayerfully that he will bring peace to the struggling armies of Europe. What party is it now that would dare undertake to discredit this master diplomat, this unconquerable leader, this great American, for by that you may betray the hand that may write the peace treaty of the world!



Liberty is freedom. Freedom is the most precious possession of any man. INDEPENDENCE is what our fathers fought and died for. "You don't have to die for freedom. You can put money in our Bank and grow a FORTUNE that will free you from the dread of debt and poverty."

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